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THE BRANCH CASE.

The killing of Midshipman Branch by Midshipman Meriwether of the United States Navel academy during the coarse of a boxing contest is one of the most unfortunate affairs that has ever befallen a government training school. Some writers have referred to it as the "most disgraceful affair" but it is hardly that. Had it not been for the tragic ending we are sure that most people would have commended the young men for settling their differences with the weapons nature gave them instead of with more deadly ones.

The evidence submitted to the court martial of Meriwether goes to show that for weeks Branch persecuted him No opportunity to slight Meriwether was overlooked by Branch. On every occasion he was humiliated. This state of affairs could not long be endured by a man of the pluck we expect to find in our naval and military schools. It was natural for Meriwether to resent Branch's constant nagging; it was natural for him to be sincerely glad to meet Branch in a ring with boxing gloves to settle their difficulties once for all.

We do not believe anyone will claim that Meriwether hoped or expected to kill Branch. Such a thought never occurred to him. His one idea was to give his adversary such a pummeling as would make him let him alone. Indeed the chances are that both young men expected, after the bottle to shake hands and be good friends, as so many young men have done before under similar circumstances. So any idea that the killing was maiicious, that it was intentional, that was anything but accidental, m be eliminated.

It was as pure an accident, almost, as the killing of one friend by another on a hunting expedition. We don't know what the result of the court martial will be. Meriwether may be dishonorably discharged from the naval academy; he may be visited with even severer punishment but it must be remembered that no punishment that can be inflicted upon him will hurt him much now. His life is ruiued. As long as he lives he will carry this burden, those we refuse to consider it a burden of guilt.

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Specifications will be furnished upon application to the Warden.

Address proposals to J. W. Legate, Carson City, Nevada, Clerk of the by delay in freight be her tre ar Board of Prison Commissioners,

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The Board reserves the right to re ject any and all bids. Address: W. R. Davis, Clerk of the Board, Carson City, Nevada.

By order of the Board, W. R. DAVIS, Clerk. Carson City Nevada.

Proposals Wanted.

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